

JUSTICE GOULD DELAYS ASSUMING HIS GOWN

Prefers to Wait Confirmation of Mr. Beach.

District Attorney Gould has received his commission as an associate justice of the Supreme Court of the District. It is not likely, however, that he will take the oath of office and enter upon the discharge of his judicial duties until after the Christmas holidays. Mr. Gould said late yesterday afternoon he has no desire to take his place upon the District bench until after the nomination of his successor as District Attorney is confirmed by the Senate.

Because of the great amount of work demanding consideration by the members of the bench of the Supreme Court of the District there is a probability that Mr. Gould will be asked to assume his judicial duties immediately after the holidays. Should he resign his position as United States Attorney for the District before his successor's nomination is confirmed, it would complicate matters greatly. In the event Mr. Gould should resign his present position before his successor is appointed, it will leave the office of United States Attorney for the District without a head. All the assistants in the office are personal appointments made by the District Attorney, and unless reappointed by his successor, have no official standing.

In case of a vacancy in the office of District Attorney the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the District is empowered to fill the position by appointment. In case this becomes necessary there is no doubt that Morgan H. Beach, the nominee of the President for the position, will be named by the court to conduct the affairs of the District Attorney's office until Mr. Gould's successor is confirmed by the Senate.

PLANS FOR OPENING THE CARNEGIE LIBRARY

The formal opening of the Washington Public Library building will take place on the afternoon of January 7, at 2:30 o'clock. The exercises are expected to be brief and simple. Mr. Carnegie is expected to be present and to deliver an address, and it is also hoped President Roosevelt will be able to attend.

Commissioner Macfarland, president of the Library Commission, will preside over the meeting. At the proper time he will deliver the building over to Theodore W. Noyes, president of the board of trustees of the library, who will receive it in behalf of the trustees. An orchestra from the Marine Band will furnish the music for the occasion.

Admittance in the afternoon will be by card, as the auditorium room is limited, and it was deemed necessary to issue cards to prevent overcrowding. In the evening the building will be thrown open for the inspection of the public. The Marine Band will also play during the evening.

NEW TRIAL GRANTED.

Justice Barnard yesterday granted a new trial in the case of Frank B. Clark and others against Catherine Shugrue.

CHARLES ROBINSON IDENTIFIED

Charles Robinson, colored, arrested last week for "pennyweight" thieving on Pennsylvania Avenue, was identified last night as a paroled prisoner from the Elmira, N. Y., reformatory. The New York police sent a photograph and Bertillon measurements, both of which positively identified him. Walter Massey, his partner, is not known in New York.

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LEIFELD TAKEN INTO CUSTODY IN CANADA

Accused of Stealing \$1,500 Worth of Watches and Jewelry—To Be Brought Back.

A man thought to be E. A. Leifeld, who is accused of stealing about \$1,500 worth of watches and jewelry from the store of Schmiedt Bros., in Seventh Street northwest, was arrested yesterday in Montreal, Canada. Leifeld was missing on Thanksgiving Day, and it was also discovered at the same time that three rings and several gold watches had been taken out of a showcase. Detective Frank Baur will probably start for Montreal tonight to bring Leifeld to this city, where he is under indictment for grand larceny. A reward of \$100 was offered by Major Sylvester for his capture.

PATENTS ISSUED TO DISTRICT RESIDENTS

Patents were yesterday issued to residents of the District as follows: William F. Nelson, assignor to C. W. Ridgeley and F. Martens, nut lock; Corydon B. Lakin, curtain fixture.

ELOPERS HAVE TROUBLE AT NATIONAL CAPITAL

One Couple Evades Parents, Another Caught at Altar.

Matrimonial excursions to this city were made yesterday from Woodstock, Va., and Laurel, Md. The Virginia young people went home fully indented in hymen's bonds and the Maryland young people took the return trip separately and in the care of determined and able-bodied relatives.

Yesterday morning Annie M. Rush, after making some masterly maneuvers to outwit her mother, got away from her home in Shenandoah, Va., and met at Woodstock, Ray C. Gaunt, who had tickets for Hagerstown. A few minutes after the train left relatives of Miss Rush arrived and after telegraphing to Hagerstown, calmly waited for the arrest of the fleeing lovers. But the young

people were wise, too, and changed to another train before reaching Hagerstown. They reached Washington about noon and were married by Justice L. J. O'Neal. Mr. and Mrs. Gaunt returned to Berryville last evening.

Catherine G. Curly and William M. Fisher, of Laurel, Md., were the victims of modern inventions and their designs were frustrated through the long-distance telephone and the cold-blooded proceedings of a detective. They left Laurel yesterday morning on a trolley car. Relatives of the young people, who were prepared for such a move, soon became aware of the disappearance and notified the police of the nearby cities. The marriage was about to take place at the residence of Rev. Donald C. McLeod when Detective Proctor emerged from behind a screen and told the young people their fond relatives would see them later at Police Headquarters.

For an hour or so the interesting captives waited at headquarters before they were separated. Then Mr. Fisher's father, who is a mechanic at the Navy Yard, appeared and took the intending bridegroom away. George W. Curly, a brother of the young lady, came soon after and took her home. Mr. Fisher is eighteen years old and Miss Curly seventeen. They are bright and well educated young people, and Miss Curly is quite attractive. Their relatives have for several weeks anticipated an elopement and close watch has been kept.

RECORD-BREAKING SPEED OF UNCLE SAM'S PRINTERS

Got Out Census Report Quickly.

Correspondence has been made public relative to the record-breaking work of the Government Printing Office in printing the Twelfth Census. When the bill providing for taking the census was before the House in 1893 Public Printer Palmer was asked how much time limitation would be required. His answer was that the office could meet any time limitation Congress might provide. In a letter written November 6 last Director Merriam of the Census says:

"The law of March 3, 1893, allowed but two years for the completion not only of the great task of enumeration and tabulation, but of publication as well. As the amount of census material was steadily increasing, this was practically an impossible requirement, when viewed

by the accomplishments of the past. The law, however, has been obeyed, and the Twelfth Census has been published more speedily after enumeration than any census since that of 1840. The results of the census of that year were all comprised in a volume of 840 pages, while those of 1900 required more than 10,000 pages, therefore it seems reasonable to say that the present census has been issued with greater speed than any other in the history of the Government. This noteworthy accomplishment would have been impossible without the hearty cooperation of your office and the remarkable speed with which you performed your part of the great task."

Mr. Palmer acknowledged the receipt of this letter with a letter expressing his thanks and the opinion that the speed in printing the census reports was largely due to the excellence of the copy prepared.

CHURCH INCORPORATED.

A certificate of incorporation of the "Columbia Baptist Church of Washington" was put on file yesterday in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the District. The incorporators and trustees of the organization are William H. Wilson, Henry Beck, and George W. Thompson.



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